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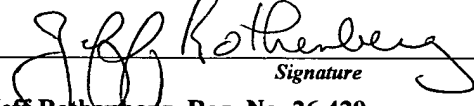
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**37 CFR 1.97(b)**

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**37 CFR 1.97(c)**

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	AA	5,284,279	2/8/1994	Sason et al.	224	209	
	AB	4,013,201	3/22/1977	Potter	224	25	

## **FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
							YES	NO
	BA	2,677,235	12/11/1992	France	A45F	3/04	Abstract	Only
	BB	2,776,169	12/24/1999	France	A45F	3/08	Abstract	Only

## **OTHER DOCUMENTS** (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)


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